## Registration Form

Program:		
☐ Learn & Serve Coordinator ☐ Ser	vice-Learning Teacher	
☐ Learn & Serve Participant ☐ Tea	icher Interested in	
Service-Learning Participant		
☐ Community-Based Organization Re	presentative	
Name		
District Name/Organization Name		
Address		
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Phone Fax		
Email		
Meals:		
☐ November 13 Lunch ☐	Vegetarian Meals	
☐ November 13 Awards Dinner ☐	Other Special Needs:	
November 14 Breakfast		
☐ November 14 Lunch		
Early Bird Registration Fee (Postmarked before October 13)		
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☐ Learn & Serve Coordinators	\$50.00	
☐ Learn & Serve Participants	\$50.00	
☐ Service-Learning Participant	\$50.00	
Community-Based Representativ		
☐ Service-Learning Teacher	\$50.00	
☐ Monday, November 13th only	\$35.00	
☐ Tuesday, November 14th only	\$35.00	
Registration Fee		
(Postmarked after October 13)		
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☐ Learn & Serve Coordinators	\$65.00	
☐ Learn & Serve Participants	\$65.00	
☐ Service-Learning Participant	\$65.00	
☐ Community-Based Representative	ve \$65.00	
☐ Service-Learning Teacher \$65.		
☐ Monday, November 13 <sup>th</sup> only \$45.0		
☐ Tuesday, November 14th only	\$45.00	

### Method of Payment

☐ Check

☐ Purchase Order PO #

Please make checks payable to Treasurer, State of Missouri.

The training is being held at the Capitol Plaza Hotel in Jefferson City, MO. The cost of lodging is \$51.50 per night.

To make Reservations, call (573) 635-1234.

#### **Registration Information:**

For more information, contact Alicia Riner at **Missouri Service-Learning** at 573-526-5395 or email <u>alicia.riner@dese.mo.gov</u>.

Please fax registration to the Missouri Service-Learning Program office at the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education at 573-526-4261 or mail registration to:

Missouri Service Learning PO Box 480 Jefferson City, MO 65102-0480

\*\*Registration and Hotel Reservation Deadline: October 27, 2006\*\*

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# The Art of Service-Learning

Missouri Service-Learning Fall Conference

November 13-14, 2006

Capitol Plaza Hotel Jefferson City, Missouri

#### What is Service Learning?

School-based service-learning combines meaningful service to the community with classroom studies in a way that improves student learning and strengthens the community. Students work in collaboration with community members, teachers, and classmates to meet real community needs, while applying core concepts from the regular classroom curriculum. Students develop responsibility and citizenship while increasing academic achievement.

#### **History of Service Learning?**

The National and Community Service Trust Act of 1993 created a new federal agency know as the Corporation for National Service. The Corporation's purpose is to provide funds, training, and assistance to states in order to develop and expand service opportunities for young people. A portion of this national legislation created the Learn and Serve America Program for state department of educations to fund local schools that wish to implement Service-Learning.

The Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) has received federal dollars from the Corporation for National service in order to administer the Missouri Service-Learning Grants Program. Approximately \$252,000 has been awarded to Missouri's public schools for the 2006-2007 school year for local service-learning programs. Currently 20 school districts across the state receive Service-Learning Grants with over 20,000 students,1,100 teachers in grades K-12 and 1,500 volunteers participating in projects.

# What is the Missouri Service-Learning Fall Conference?

The Missouri Service-Learning Fall Conference is a gathering of Service-Learning Coordinators, Service-Learning participants, Community Based Organization Representatives, teachers involved in Service-Learning and others interested in Service-Learning. The conference will highlight Best Practices in the area of Service-Learning as well as give those persons who are new to Service-Learning an opportunity learn more about the methodology of Service-Learning. There is a student track led by students participating in Service-Learning and a chance to highlight Outstanding efforts by individuals in the Service-Learning arena.

#### Who Should Attend?

- Learn and Serve Grantees
- Service-Learning Coordinators
- Teachers participating in Service-Learning projects
- Students participating in Service-Learning projects
- Teachers interested in integrating Service-Learning into their District
- Community Based Organization Representatives
- General Public



Monday, November 13, 2006 Missouri Learn and Serve America State Conference				
8:00 am - 12:00 pm	Pre-Conference Session for Missouri Checks And Balances Participants			
11:00 am – 12:00 pm	Registration Exhibit Hall Opens Project Hall Opens			
12:00 pm - 12:50 pm	Opening Lunch			
1:00 pm – 2:50 pm	Breakout Session I - 3 sessions	Breakout Session I - Student Track		
3:00 pm – 3:50 pm	Breakout Session II3 sessions	Breakout Session II - Student Track		
4:00 pm – 4:50 pm	Breakout Session III - 3 sessions	Breakout Session III - Student Track		
5:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Exhibit Hall Open Project Hall Open			
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Awards Dinner			

Tuesday, November 14, 2006 Missouri Learn and Serve America State Conference					
7:00 am - 8:00 am	Breakfast				
8:00 am – 9:50 am	Learn and Serve Missouri Coordinators'	Breakout Session IV - 2 sessions	Breakout Session IV - Student Track		
10:00 am – 10:50 am	Meeting Meeting	Breakout Session V - 2 sessions	Breakout Session V - Student Track		
11:00 am – 11:50 pm	Regional Centers Coordinators' Meeting	Breakout Session VI - 2 sessions	Breakout Session VI - Student Track		
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	Lunch				
1:30 pm – 2:00 pm	Reflection				